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LIGATION OF OLIGOPEPTIDES

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed August 30, 2007, please amend the application as follows:

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